

TRAIL LIQUOR TO EMBASSIES

Bootleggers, Keeping Tab on Diplomatic Rum, Shadowed By Police.

Armed bootleggers, trailing embassy whiskey on its trips into Washington, are causing the prohibition officials much concern and have been the means by which the police have kept track of liquor shipped here for the use of diplomats and their friends.

POLICE CHECK RUM SHIPMENT.

The detention of two officials of the Chilean embassy last Sunday was due to the fact that their car was being trailed by armed bootleggers, and the Maryland officials notified the Washington authorities so that the car was held up as soon as it reached the District line.

Prohibition officials are now checking up on the amount of liquor that has been withdrawn from distilleries in this country by the favor of foreign governments. Most of the liquor consumed at the embassies, it is said, has been sent into this country from abroad.

Some of the embassies have withdrawn a large amount of whiskey from the distilleries in this country, and the very embassies that have withdrawn so much liquor have the smallest staffs. The Russian embassy, according to prohibition bureau records, has withdrawn fifteen months of February. The records of the other months were not available today.

ATTACHES MAY BE RECALLED.

Another feature of the embassy liquor that is puzzling the prohibition bureau officials is just what constitutes a case of whiskey. It is the common conception in this country that a case of whiskey contains twelve bottles. But in some cases, they have a different conception. In their opinion a case is a case no matter how much liquor it contains.

In a recent shipment to an embassy in this city they withdrew what they called twenty cases. Their twenty cases were twenty large packing cases and each case contained four cases of twelve bottles.

The prohibition agent who examined the shipment tried to argue with the men carrying the liquor that they had four times the amount they were supposed to have, but they claimed they only had twenty cases, and that the law did not specify what a case of whiskey was.

There was a great deal of uneasiness in embassy circles yesterday, and today following the exclusive exposure of embassy whiskey in the Sunday Morning Times, and it was feared that some of the attaches of the embassies who have been guilty of obtaining whiskey for their friends, would shortly be sent home, to avoid the embarrassment that is bound to ensue when the State Department investigation is completed.

Swimmin' Pool Opens Saturday

City's Youngsters on Alert as Splashing Season Draws Near.

"Go ast your ma, Skinnay, can you go duckin'!" The municipal bathing pool, Seventeenth and B streets northwest, will open at 10 a. m. Saturday for the first splash of the season. During the merry month of May assorted swimming will be permitted, but skirted suits for both sexes will be required. Attendance limit has been set at 150 at one time. Doc Fowler will sample the water daily—by means of test tubes.

THREE HURT WHEN AUTO TURNS TURTLE

Woman and Two Men Slightly Injured—Taxi Driver Held for Colliding.

Although their auto overturned when it collided with another machine at Seventh street and Pennsylvania avenue southeast late last night, two men and a woman escaped with slight bruises on body and legs. They refused hospital treatment.

Lee Donohoe, of Annapolis, Md.; H. H. Randall, 29, 820 K street southeast; and Miss Edith Embrey, 22, 409 Fourth street northeast, were riding west on the avenue when their car was struck by a taxicab operated, the police say, by William H. Murphy, 422 Sixth street northeast. Donohoe's car turned turtle. Murphy was taken to the Fifth precinct, where he was charged with colliding. He will have a hearing today in police court.

Barbara Gaskins, colored, seven years old, 2222 Vermont avenue northwest, was slightly injured when she was knocked down by a machine near her home, while crossing the street. She was treated by a physician.

Mrs. C. A. Waple, 42, 510 D street northeast, received slight injuries when struck by a motorcycle at Massachusetts avenue and D streets last night. She received treatment at Casualty Hospital, and later went home.

Joseph P. Dade, 1508 Thirteenth street northwest, while riding his motorcycle at Eighteenth street and Kalorama road collided with an automobile. He was treated for slight injuries at Emergency Hospital.

Struck by an automobile while riding his bicycle at Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, Harold Bowman, 15, 740 Fifth street northwest, was slightly injured.

Neighbor Rescues Child.

A two-week-old baby might have smothered to death yesterday in a fire at 1227 I street northeast were it not for the presence of Mrs. Schlatter, who lives opposite that address. Mrs. Schlatter groped her way through the smoke and rescued the baby. John Wauheason, as it was lying in bed.

Great adnoids! They're taking toe prints of the babies. Bertillonizing them on the heels. The house cat.

Hoof prints himself when he comes from the coal bin up.

One greasy cat can stencil more square yards of wall paper while.

Pursuing a handpainted butterfly that is watercolored thereon.

Than the guy who makes the bloomin' stuff.

A dog-hound who has been loose after a rain gets himself in fat.

With the cook-maid by entering the kitchen midst a smoke screen of foreign fleas and a fearful of domestic mud.

Furthermore, the human of the species is no exception to their footprints in the sands of time business.

The world is supposed to be civilized.

The home is supposed to be a fit place wherein to live.

Civil War Vet, 72, Seeks Wife Born on Odd Day, Scotch Is Preferred

"Hope springs eternal in the human breast," was a sentiment heartily indorsed by Thomas Marseilles Dushane, a seventy-two-year-old veteran of the Civil War, as, leaning heavily on a hand-carved Soldiers' Home cane, he limped into the court house just before noon today.

The aged visitor, his breast covered with medals and decorations, said he was looking for a wife. His kind face suffused with a blush that would have done credit to any young maiden when the old warrior, hale and hearty and unafraid, confessed that he had been married three times and was the father of twenty children, most of whom were married and had children of their own, and were scattered everywhere.

Dushane said he had served as major in the Twelfth Tennessee Cavalry, Company L, during the civil war; that he took part in Hood's raid and raised some dust around Murfreesboro, Franklin and other places. He was wounded and is drawing a pension. In fact, the pension, he said, brought him here as well as his quest for a fourth helpmeet.

HE FEELS LONESOME. "I feel lonesome and want company," said the old soldier. His fourth venture into matrimony seemed upmost on his mind. He said:

"I want a wife that's born on an even date; no odd dates for mine. I had one dose of an odd-day wife; she left me. It was not a happy time we two spent together. People are just like the electric current. There is a positive and a negative current or wire, and unless you get that correct, there will be nothing doing."

SENATE COMMITTEE TACKLES D. C. WORK

The Senate District Committee formally organized today and prepared for active work on a large list of business before it.

The nominations of the Rev. Dr. William J. Kerby, Miss Virginia Cross and William T. Gallier to be members of the Board of Charities were referred to the subcommittee on charities. A large number of bills were referred to subcommittees.

The following subcommittees were appointed: Judiciary: Dillingham, Jones, Waller, Pomeroy and King. Public Utilities: Ball, Capper, Pomeroy, Gooding and Shepard. Education and Labor: Capper, Jones, King, Cameron and Stanley; Insurance and Banks: Elkins, Gooding, Capper, Glass and Christie; War, Glass, Ball, Gooding and Shepard; Streets and Avenues: Gooding, Dillingham, Elkins, Stanley and Shepard; Incorporations: Jones, Dillingham, Cameron, King and Glass; Police and Fire Department: Cameron, Ball, Jones, Shepard and Stanley.

The committee determined that five would constitute a quorum for the transaction of routine business. The Senators present at the meeting were Ball, Capper, Gooding, Jones, King, Stanley and Pomeroy.

Door Mat Is Alien Enemy To Majority of Men

By KIRK MILLER

Great adnoids! But nine men out of a dozen don't know yet what a coconut doormat means.

Revise that verdict. Eleven men out of a jury.

They avoid that old front porch WELCOME, like it was Einstein's theory of irrelevancy.

Men have been silhouetting themselves on parlor floors since the time we were amphibians.

When nature took our web feet away from us, she slipped us the first Darwinian coughdrop on record. Smith Brothers got the idea from that.

Toe-smitting the infant ain't fair to the kid.

In the second place, who is going to perform the ceremony.

Where was there ever a baby who would stop wiggling long enough to take off a set of instep measurements?

Only expert mothers can get 'em quiet long enough to blow their nose.

What?

"You could have talked a week and never said that."

SMOOT STARTS PAY BILL ROW

Senate Wrangle Develops Over Reference of Two Reclassification Measures.

A bitter wrangle between Senator Smoot and Senator Sterling came in the Senate today over the question of referring the Sterling and Smoot reclassification measures to the Civil Service Committee.

REDUCED BY SENATOR. Senator Smoot aroused much feeling by his attacks upon the Sterling bill, and Senator McCormick broke in upon his speech to inquire why an argument against the Sterling measure should be interjected into the question of referring the bill to the Civil Service or Appropriations Committee.

"The Senator ought not to make the amazing statement that these bills should not be referred to the Civil Service Committee because he knows that committee favors one bill and opposes another," said Senator McCormick. "If we establish the precedent of referring bills on the basis of what shall soon be in dangerous waters."

SEES LAW BY JUNE.

Complete pay revision and reclassification of the \$8,000 Government employees of the District of Columbia before June 30, the end of the present fiscal year, can and will be brought about through the terms of the Wood-Smoot reclassification bill.

This was the forecast made today by Senator Smoot, of Utah, ranking member of the Appropriations Committee.

The Wood-Smoot bill will be the subject of a bitter debate when it is called up in the Senate today for reference to committee. Senator Smoot wants it to go to the Appropriations Committee. Senator Sterling, of South Dakota, will be unperturbed in his demand that it go to the Civil Service Committee of which he is chairman. In a measure

of the bill—at least the early enactment of its provisions—will depend upon the vote in the Senate today.

Advocates of the Wood-Smoot bill believe the measure will be lost if it goes to the Civil Service Committee, and that in its stead the Sterling-Lehl bill will be reported out.

In this event Senator Smoot declared that he will re-introduce his bill as a substitute measure, and so designed that it will be a straight appropriation bill. An unofficial poll made of the House and Senate showed that it will be possible to enact the Wood-Smoot bill into a law within thirty days, it was said today. The bill is complete, and has already been agreed upon by members of the appropriations committees of both Houses.

PRESIDENT'S PROGRAM

9:30 a. m.—The Secretary of the Treasury.

10 a. m.—Senator Dillingham, of Vermont.

10:05 a. m.—Senator Moses, of New Hampshire.

10:10 a. m.—Senator Watson, of Georgia.

10:15 a. m.—Senator Calder of New York.

10:25 a. m.—Bishop McDowell

10:30 a. m.—Hon. Francis R. Loeis.

10:35 a. m.—Senator Broussard and the president and two members of the New Orleans Board of Trade.

10:40 a. m.—Congressman Langley, of Kentucky.

10:45 a. m.—Senators Sterling and Norbeck, of South Dakota.

10:40 a. m.—Jefferson Patterson, of Washington, D. C.

10:55 a. m.—Miss Mary Stewart.

11 a. m.—Admiral C. N. Chester and Congressman Fess, of Ohio.

11:10 a. m.—Congressman Hicks, of New York.

11:30 a. m.—Senator Cameron, of Arkansas.

11:40 a. m.—Dr. Stockbridge, of Atlanta, Ga.

11:45 a. m.—Mr. Bean and Mr. Carron, of Florida.

12:30 p. m.—Mrs. Bates Batchellor.

12:30 p. m.—Mrs. Lund, National Academy of Sciences; Dr. Charles D. Walcott, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Jolke, of Cincinnati; Congressman Kelly, of Michigan, and girls of the graduating class of Highland Park High School.

3 p. m.—Elmer Dover.

4 p. m.—The Prince of Monaco; the President to return the call.

Monaco and Einstein, Big Men of Science, Dodge D. C. Reporters

His serene highness, Albert I, Prince of Monaco, who draws his revenues from the world's most noted gambling resort, Monte Carlo, and spends them in deep sea dredging for the sake of science, and Prof. Albert Einstein, discoverer of revolutionary scientific theories, whose entire fortune would last the prince several minutes, are today in Washington, both seeking industriously to avoid publicity.

"These men, famed throughout the world, will meet tonight at the session of the National Academy of Sciences, in the National Museum. The Prince of Monaco will receive the Alexander Agassiz medal for distinguished scientific work. Professor Einstein will be a guest of honor."

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the prince will be received by President Harding at the White House. The President is expected to return the call later.

What the prince will do during the rest of the day is conjecture. At any rate he will be "varry busy." So stated a member of his staff this morning. Efforts to learn just what was going to keep him busy were fruitless.

The first effort was made at about 9 o'clock this morning when a reporter burst into the prince's suite at the Hotel Washington and caught the royal visitor as he was preparing to rinse himself off.

led a rescue party to the spot where Willis sank. One of the party, George Gennaro, of the Continental Trust Company, dived a score of times but was unable to locate the body.

Willis, who was said to be a good swimmer, was apparently seized with cramps, witnesses said, as he swam but a few strokes before he sank. As efforts to recover the body proved unavailing, Mrs. Willis collapsed and was taken to Garfield Hospital by friends. Willis and his wife, who were visiting at the camp of Mr. Watson, had been fishing during the morning. Mrs. Willis was on shore preparing lunch and, at the time of the accident, Willis was paddling to the Virginia shore to get Watson, who was visiting at another camp.

Willis, who was twenty-nine years old, had been employed by the Tariff Commission for about three years. He was a graduate of Ohio State University, where he was noted as an all-around athlete.

Beside his wife, he is survived by his mother, living in Toledo, Ohio, and a brother, who lives in California.

Catches Pickpocket.

Marshall Pickering, 1002 Douglas street southeast, a prominent local Mason, proved himself a real detective yesterday while on a visit to Newport News, Va. In company with Edmund Schmidt, who conducts a bed store on Twelfth street, between G and H streets northwest, he went to the Virginia town to attend to Masonic business. They boarded a car at Newport News and Pickering noticed a man lifting Schmidt's pocketbook. He grasped the man's hand, which held the pocketbook containing \$40. The man was held until the arrival of the police.

What's Doing; Where; When

Meeting—Central Citizens' Association, Trinity Community House, Third and G streets northwest, 8 p. m.

Band Concert—U. S. Soldiers' Home Band Bandstand, 8 p. m.

Annual Triduum—Knights of Columbus, St. Aloysius Church, 7:30 p. m.

Band Concert—U. S. Marine Band Orchestra, Marine Barracks, 8 p. m.

Meeting—Randall's Citizens' Association, Baptist Church, 8 p. m.

Annual Convention—National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' Association, New Elbert Hotel, 11 a. m.

Lecture—"The Power That Liberates," Baron Eugene Perren, Masonic Temple Auditorium, Thirteenth street and New York avenue, 8 p. m.

Lecture—"Present Critical Conditions in World Affairs," Miss Janet Richards, Knickerbocker Hotel, 11 a. m.

TOMORROW.

Meeting—Terence MacDermott Council, American Association for the Recognition

1812 SOCIETY TO AID ALIENS

Mrs. C. F. R. Jenne, in Opening Convention Address, Will Urge: Keynote of Patriotism.

Eliminate "Americanization" and substitute "patriotism" in making useful citizens out of the foreign-born population.

This will be the keynote of an appeal to be delivered tonight by Mrs. Clarence F. R. Jenne, president of the Daughters of 1812, at a reception to be held at the Willard Hotel, preliminary to the opening tomorrow of the twentieth annual associate council of the National Society of the Daughters of 1812.

SESSIONS OPEN TOMORROW.

The council opens tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Willard. The sessions will continue four days.

"There is too much talk about 'Americanization' of the foreigners in the United States," Mrs. Jenne believes. "We are antagonizing our foreign elements, who otherwise would never think such thoughts as being un-American. It would be well to Americanize the Americans, teach them the national anthem, how to salute the flag and the courtesy of standing when the 'Star-Spangled Banner' is played."

"Teaching patriotism, the love of country and grounding the foreign elements in the principles of Americanism is by far the better method of reaching the foreigners. It is the duty of every patriotic society to teach patriotism."

DENBY WILL SPEAK

Secretary of the Navy Denby will make an address at the reception tonight, which will be held in the ball parlor of the Willard from 8 until 11 o'clock. John D. Cadwalader, of Pennsylvania, will bring a patriotic message.

Four hundred delegates from every State in the Union are in the city to attend the convention, which opens formally tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the New Willard Hotel, with greetings and an address from the national president.

There will be an election of five officers Wednesday, including the office of president. The convention will close Thursday night.

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